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Dear Sir:

Upon proofreading the sealed patent, we noticed an error in the printed patent made by the Patent Office.

Transmitted herewith is a proposed Certificate of Correction effecting a corrective amendment.

The patentee respectfully solicits the granting of the requested Certificate of Correction.

Respectfully submitted,

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## CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION

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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

**Claims:****Claim 15**

Col. 9, line 11, insert the word --nanoparticles-- after the word "of"

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